



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Kazuo Ohba

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For: ARM FOR PLASTIC DOLL BODY,

> METHOD OF FORMING THE ARM PART, AND METAL MOLD FOR FORMING THE ARM PART

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

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In response to the Office Action of October 29, 2002, please amend the above-identified Application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

The specification has been amended as follows:

Page 11, Line 20, through Page 12, Line 5:

The spacer 13 is made of a synthetic resin material which is compatible with the molding material injected into the molding spaces 4a and 4 b and has a melting point equal to or below a molding temperature of the molding material injected into the molding spaces 4a and 4b. For example, in the illustrated embodiment, the molding material injected into the molding spaces 4a